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## Banks.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£2,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£583,000.

LONDON:  
Head Office.....49, Threadneedle Street.  
West End Office.....25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:  
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " " "  
" 3 " 3 " " " "  
On CURRENT DEPOSITS, 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1890. 1362

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$7,500,000.  
RESERVE FUND.....\$4,000,000.  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROF.....\$7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman—J. S. MOSES, Esq.  
T. E. DAVIES, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq.  
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Hongkong.....T. JACKSON, Esq.  
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HONGKONG.  
INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

THOMAS JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. 363

### NOTICE.

#### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3—Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year; about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
THOMAS JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. 754

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of August, current, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1890.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1890. 1359

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 9th, to SATURDAY, the 23rd day of August current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1890. 1360

### THE SHAMHEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IT is hereby notified that at a Meeting of the Directors of this Company held this day a FINAL CALL of FIVE DOLLARS per Share was made upon all the Members and that the same is payable to the Undersigned at the Registered Office of the Company, 3, Beaconsfield Arcade, on or before THURSDAY, the 21st day of AUGUST NEXT.

It is further notified that all Shares not fully paid-up on the 21st day of August, shall in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association be FORFEITED, and legal proceedings taken to enforce Payment of all Calls, Instalments, Interest and Expenses, owing upon or in respect of such Shares at the time of the Forfeiture.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
J. A. BARETTO,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 29, 1890. 1353

### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 25th August, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1890.

The Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 5, 1890. 1391

### NOTICE.

#### THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with the Provision of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents have this Day declared an Interim DIVIDEND of 4 Pcs Cent. for the Half-Year ending 30th June, 1890, on the Paid-up Capital of the Company.

Dividend WARRANTS payable on TUESDAY, the 19th August, will be issued to Shareholders.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 19th Instant—both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, August 5, 1890. 1389

### THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, at 3 o'clock p.m., on THURSDAY, the 21st day of August, current, for the purpose of considering, and if approved, of passing the following Special Resolutions:

- 1.—That the Capital of THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, be increased from \$150,000 to \$180,000 by the creation of Three Thousand New Shares of \$10 each, to be fully paid-up.
- 2.—That the said New Shares be, in the first instance, allotted to those Shareholders whose names shall appear on the Register of Shareholders of the said Company on the 1st day of September next (and who shall on or before the 15th day of September next apply for the same to be allotted to them), in the proportion of one New Share for every five Old Shares held by them, but that no Shareholder shall be entitled to claim that any fractional part of any New Share be allotted to him.
- 3.—That all New Shares not applied for by such Shareholders within the time aforesaid be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner as they shall think fit.

K. A. STEVENS,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 7, 1890. 1399

### THE HOTEL MARINA.

THIS Strictly FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, now opened in the Harbor of Victoria, offers Guests exceptional advantages for Healthfulness and Refreshing Breezes; the avoidance of street noises and unwholesome odors; and

Grand Promenade Deck, Airy Dining Room, Ladies' Parlor, Billiard and Reading Rooms, Commodious Bedrooms, with separate Bath-room and Verandah to each. The Table D'Hôte is unexcelled.

The Hotel Launch runs regularly to and from Pender's Wharf and the Hotel, Free of Charge—for Time Table see Bill.

ANDREW FOSTER, Manager.

Hongkong, July 23, 1890. 1397

## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

THE Remaining Portion of the CARGO in the Week of the YANGTZE having been SOLD by AUCTION at SHANGHAI for the 15th, Shippers of cargo by her are hereby requested to send to the Undersigned particulars of their goods and value thereof in order that the said proceeds may be divided amongst the parties interested in proportion. If not received on or before the 15th Inst., the statement will be made up as best possible from the particulars then on hand and the proceeds distributed accordingly.

SIEMSEN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 5, 1890. 1380

### KUHN & CO., JAPANESE AND CHINESE FINE ART DEPOT.

21 & 23, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
Hongkong, July 21, 1890. 1299

### THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LTD., will be held at No. 9, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of August, at Noon, when the said Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of the Company held on the 4th day of August 1890, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION.  
That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Company's Ordinance 1-63 to 1889, and that FREDERICK ALEXANDER ALFRED BOWEN, BROCKELMANN and ELMER RICHARD FULFARMER be appointed Liquidators of the said Company, with liberty for each of them solely to exercise all the powers of the joint Liquidators.

Dated 5th day of August, 1890.  
REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., General Managers.

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### NOTICE.

#### LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with the Special Resolution of 23rd July, 1884, the General Agents have today declared an Interim DIVIDEND for the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1890, of FIVE Pcs Cent. upon the Paid-up Capital.

Dividend WARRANTS payable on the 12th proximo will be issued to Shareholders on the 4th date.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd until the 12th August, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, July 26, 1890. 1323

### THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....\$5,000,000  
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....2,500,000  
RESERVE FUND.....1,250,000

Board of Directors:  
HON. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman, Managing Director.  
HON. C. P. CHATER, Vice Chairman.

LEE SING, Esq.  
S. G. MICHAELSEN, Esq.  
J. S. MOSES, Esq.  
H. K. ROBLE, Esq.  
POON FONG, Esq.  
D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

Bankers:  
THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MONEY ADVANCED ON MORTGAGE, on LAND or BUILDINGS; PROPERTIES PURCHASED AND SOLD.

Estate managed, and all kinds of Agency and Commission Business relating to Land, &c., conducted.

Full Particulars can be obtained at the Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's Road Central.

A SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890. 844

### NOTICE.

#### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1455

### CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Optician, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NATURAL SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.  
VEGETABLES' CLAYED BENCULAN and TELESCOPES.  
RUBBER LENSES and OTHER CONSUMABLES.  
ADMIRALTY & NAUTICAL CHARTS.  
NAUTICAL BOOKS.  
English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
CHRISTIE & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety.  
DIAMONDS  
AND  
DIAMOND JEWELLERY.  
A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATENTERS, at very moderate prices.

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

#### SHOOTING SEASON—1890.

FOR SALE.  
ELEY'S BROWN and BLUE METAL-LINED CASES.  
ELEY'S GREEN GAS-TIGHT CASES.  
ELEY'S NEW DAMP-PROOF CASES.  
THICK FELT WADS, GREY CLOTH WADS, GREASE-PROOF WADS, RE-PRIMING CAPS, WIRE CARTRIDGE, SHOT, Pigeon & Wilk's 'Alliance' SPORTING POWDER.  
TODAY'S DOUBLE BARRELLED HAMMERLESS FOWLING PIECES.  
SCOTT'S DOUBLE BARRELLED FOWLING PIECES.  
RE-CAPPING MACHINES, LOADING, RAMMING & TURNING MACHINES, POWDER & SHOT MEASURES, CARTRIDGE BELTS and BAGS, FLASKS, DOG WHISTLES, GAME KITTERS, DOG CHAINS, GUN CLEANERS, GUN OIL and SUNDRIES of all kinds.

ROOK RIFLES, MARINE-HENRI RIFLES and AMMUNITION.  
LOADED and SPORTING CARTRIDGES, filled with any required charge.  
SHOOTING SUITS, STOCKINGS, HATS, BOOTS, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1890. 1383

### W. POWELL & Co.

EX STEAMSHIP GLENORCHY.  
A VERY NICE SELECTION OF LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, BABY LINEN.  
SPECIALITIES IN FANCY WORK.  
ANTIMACASSARS, CUSHIONS, SLIPPERS, BRACKETS, TERNIS BAT CASES, &c., &c.  
WHITE WOOD PREPARATIONS FOR ENAMEL PAINTING.

W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, August 7, 1890. 1402

### MARINE HOTEL.

NOTICE OF OPENING.  
THE Undersigned beg to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will OPEN THE MARINE HOTEL, on the 9th August. Some delay has been caused in connecting the water supply, and the advertised Opening has had to be POSTPONED.  
THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL is situated on the Praya West, opposite the Old P. & O. Wharf, and is newly built after the designs of the LUXURIOUS EUROPEAN HOTELS—has BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well ventilated and well furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. THE DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour.  
THE TABLE D'HÔTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide. THE BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and are fitted up in superior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES.  
WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begs the patronage of the Public, hoping to give every satisfaction.

JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1890. 1367

### NEW HATS.

CHRISTY'S AND HEATH'S BLACK, BROWN AND GREY FELT HATS.  
DOUBLE AND SINGLE TERAI and OTHER SOFT FELTS.  
BEST ENGLISH-MADE STRAW HATS.  
CALCUTTA PITH HATS, TWEED CAPS.

ROBERT LANG & Co.  
Hongkong, July 28, 1890. 1324

### Victoria Hotel.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions, and commanding a splendid view of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office, Banks, &c.), has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HÔTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Meisters, DORABEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

### Intimations.

#### WINDSOR HOUSE, HONGKONG.

No. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, AND FAMILY HOTEL.

This Establishment is situated in a most central position, opposite the Telegraph Office and two doors from the Chartered Bank. It offers FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION to RESIDENTS and TRAVELLERS, has a Spacious Dining Room, and a large number of well FURNISHED BED-ROOMS with all comforts. A Good Table kept. TABLE D'HÔTE—Breakfast, 8.30 a.m.; Dinner, 1 p.m.; Supper, 7.30 p.m. BOARD by the Month, Day, or Single Meals, at reasonable rates. ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO SERVE MEALS IN GENTLEMEN'S QUARTERS. CONTINENTAL LANGUAGES SPOKEN.

Mrs. BOHM, Proprietress.

Hongkong, August 30, 1889. 1682

### To Let.

TWO FLOORS OF HOUSE, No. 8, STANLEY STREET.

Apply to ROZARIO & Co.  
Hongkong, July 9, 1890. 1230

### To Let.

(With Immediate Possession.)  
GROUND FLOOR, No. 2, BLUE BUILDINGS.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1890. 1163

### To Let.

No. 3, MORRISON HILL.  
Entry, let June.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central.  
Hongkong, April 22, 1890. 762

## For Sale.

### FOR SALE.

A SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD & COLLARD. Made expressly for the climate.  
Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, April 29, 1890. 703

### FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK.  
THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28.—A Well-built Six-roomed HOUSE, at present let on Lease for one year.  
For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.  
Hongkong, November 12, 1889. 2153

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

#### DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Harbin*, Capt. H. H. HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 12th Instant, at 11 a.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1890. 1411

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Ajax*, Capt. ROWLANDS, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 12th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1890. 1396

#### FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship *Portland*, Capt. ROWLANDS, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 12th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1890. 1387

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Sargatan*, Capt. BARNES, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 13th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1890. 1381

#### FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE.

The Steamship *Padua*, Capt. ROX, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 10th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 9, 1890. 1413

#### AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM, JEDDAH, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE AND FLORENCE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Medusa*, Capt. G. COSTANZO, will be despatched as above on the 17th Instant, at Daylight.

Cargo will not be received on board after 5 p.m. prior to date of sailing.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 7, 1890. 1401

#### FOR SINGAPORE, HAYRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship *Kriemhild*, Capt. J. EULEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 13th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 9, 1890. 1410

#### THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Palmyra*, Capt. R. H. MACDONALD, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 13th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 9, 1890. 1378

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

#### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR NEW ZEALAND (DIRECT.)  
The Steamship *Kiowang*, Captain OUTERBRIDGE, will be despatched about the 20th August.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, July 12, 1890. 1247

#### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Taitan*, W. A. JACKSON, Commander, above on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabin are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1890. 1326

#### Sailing Vessels.

##### FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/3 A.L.I. Amer. Barque *Richard Parsons*, Capt. G. A. FREEMAN, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 9, 1890. 1412

##### FOR NEW YORK.



## Entertainments.

THE GREATEST NOVELTY TRAVEL-  
LING IN THE EAST.KLAER & OLMAN'S CIRCUS AND  
TROUPE OF PERFORMING  
ANIMALS.

Having arrived here, will give a limited number of Performances in their New, Elegant, Well-ventilated, Illuminated and Comfortably-arranged Pavilion, which is erected at BOWENSTOWN.

The Company consists of  
GRACIOUS, AQUILA, JACKSON,  
EQUILIBRIA, WINE, ROSE AND GLOBE  
PERFORMERS.

LADY DANCERS AND GYMNASTS,  
In conjunction with  
A STAFF TROUPE OF PERFORMING ANIMALS,  
HIGHLY TRAINED FOXES AND WONDER-  
FULLY CLIMBING DOGS AND  
MONKEYS.

**TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!**  
Doors open at 8; Commence at 9 o'clock.  
Weather Permitting.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.  
Dress Circle (Chairs) ..... \$1.00  
2nd Class (Upright Seats) ..... 50 Cents  
3rd Class ..... 25 Cents

Children under 12 years of age, half price to 1st and 2nd Classes only.  
Soldiers and Navy in Uniform, half price to 2nd Class only.

**SPECIAL MATINEE.**  
**SATURDAY AFTERNOON,**  
8th August, at 4.30.  
Doors open at 3.30 p.m.

Our Matinee arranged entirely to suit and amuse the rising generation never fail to attract and delight every child in town. (Parents and guardians please note this.)

Servants in charge of children pay the same prices as the children for Matinee only.

Performance every Evening, (Sundays excepted) at 9. Doors open at 8.

Seats may be reserved and Tickets obtained at the Circus Office on the day of performance from 12 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. I. OLMAN, Business Manager.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1393

## To-day's Advertisements.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS  
TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE  
UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,  
VIATHE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY  
AND OTHER CONNECTING  
RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.THE British Steamship SUSSEX, 2,484  
Tons Register, Captain H. F. HOLT,  
will be despatched for VANCOUVER,  
B.C., via AMOY, FOCHOW, SHANG-  
HAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO-  
HAMA, on THURSDAY, the 14th August,  
at Noon.

To be followed by the S.S. MONGKUT,  
21st August; BATAVIA, 4th September.  
Connection will be made at Yokohama  
with Steamers from Japan Ports, and at  
Vancouver with Pacific Coast Lines,  
regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast  
Steamship Company and other Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-  
land, France, and Germany by all trans-  
Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fare granted as follows:—  
To Vancouver and Victoria (Mex.) \$210.00  
To Montreal, New York, &c. 100.00  
To Liverpool ..... 325.00  
To London ..... 330.00

To other European ports at proportion-  
ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to  
Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service,  
and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese  
Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices of accompanying Cargo  
destined to points in the United States,  
addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District  
Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

Freight will be received on board until  
4 p.m. on the 13th August.

All Parcels should be sent to our Office  
and should be marked to address in full;  
and the same will be received by us until  
5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

For information as to Passages or Freight,  
apply to

ADAMSON, HELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1316

Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS  
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED  
STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND  
SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,  
VIA

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  
AND  
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING  
STEAMERS.

THE Steamship GAZELLE will be  
despatched for San Francisco, via  
Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 23rd  
August, 1890, at 1 p.m. Connection  
being made at Yokohama with Steamers  
from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to  
address in full; and the same will be received  
at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the  
day previous to sailing.

First-class Fare granted as follows:—  
To San Francisco ..... \$225.00  
To San Francisco and return, 395.75  
available for 6 months ..... 325.00  
To London ..... 350.00

To other European ports at proportion-  
ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to  
Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service  
and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be  
obtained on application.

Passengers by this Line have the option  
of proceeding Overland by the Southern  
Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific,  
Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific  
Railways.

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-  
embarking at San Francisco for China or  
Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be  
allowed a discount of 10%. This allowance  
does not apply to through fares from China  
and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo  
destined to points beyond San Francisco,  
in the United States, should be sent to the  
Company's Office, addressed to the Col-  
lector of Customs at the respective ports.

For further information as to Passages  
or Freight, apply to the Agency of the  
Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN,  
Agent.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1350

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to inform their  
FRIENDS and the Public that they have  
REOPENED the STORE, No. 66, Queen's  
Road Central, lately occupied by H.  
FOURNIER & Co., and that they intend to  
continue the same kind of Business under  
the Style of

J. ROSSELET & Co.  
Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1415

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Japan having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees  
of Cargo are hereby informed that their  
Goods are being landed at their risk into  
the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and  
GEOFFREY COMPANY'S Godown, at West  
Point, where delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
17th Instant will be subject to rent. No  
Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are also hereby informed, that  
all Claims must be made before the de-  
parture of the Steamer, otherwise they will  
not be entertained.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1417

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.  
FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND  
YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Suzette, Capt. VAGUERE, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on or about the 13th Instant.

(J. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.)

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1420

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Haitan, Capt. S. ASHTON, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on THURSDAY, the 14th Inst., at  
11 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1429

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-  
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.  
The Company's Steamer  
Kong Beng, Captain R. JONES, will  
be despatched for the  
above Ports on THURSDAY, the 14th  
Inst., at 10 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
YUEN FAT HONG,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1418

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND  
CALCUTTA.

The Steamship  
Captain T. S. GARDNER, will be  
despatched for the  
above Ports on FRIDAY, the 16th Instant,  
at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1419

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY.  
( sailing at COLOMBO ) if sufficient  
inducement offered.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Steamship  
Lombardy, Capt. J. F. JERSON, will  
leave for the above places on FRI-  
DAY, the 22nd Instant.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1421

U. S. MAIL LINE.  
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA  
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH  
AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN  
FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF  
RIO DE JANEIRO will be des-  
patched for SAN FRANCISCO, via YOKO-  
HAMA and VICTORIA, B.C., on FRI-  
DAY, the 22nd August, 1890, at 1 p.m.,  
taking Passengers and Freight for Japan,  
the United States, and Europe.

To be followed by the S.S. CHINA,  
4th September.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-  
portation to Yokohama and other Japan  
Ports, to San Francisco, Victoria, B.C.,  
and PORTLAND, O., to Australia and Inland  
Cities of the United States, via Overland  
Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and De-  
mares, and to ports in Mexico, Central  
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C. D. HARMAN,  
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Hongkong, August 11, 1890. 1399

Business Notices.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

LADIES' SHOES.  
NEW NOVELTIES in Summer Wear.  
BROWN CANVAS WALKING SHOES—  
special made for this climate, \$1.95 per pair.  
BLACK GLOVE KID SHOES, Light make  
\$3.50 per pair.

FAN GLOVE KID SHOES, Light make  
\$3.50 per pair.  
DAVON'S BEST TENNIS SHOES, RUB-  
BER SOLES, \$3.50 per pair.  
FRENCH SATIN SHOES in White, Cream,  
Sky Blue, Pink, Old Gold and Black,  
\$3.75 per pair.

LA LEE PATENT and KID SHOES for  
Evening Wear, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

Also a large Stock of BATHING STRAP  
SHOES and SLIPPERS.  
BOAT LACES, BOAT POLISH, &c., &c.

The above are of exceptionally good  
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CHILDREN'S SHOES.  
BROWN CANVAS SHOES, all sizes, from  
\$1.25 per pair.

BLACK TAN and BROWN KID SHOES—  
specially strong and durable, but light make  
for Summer, to Button or Lace, \$2.75 per  
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MEMO. FOR T. MURRI V.

Shipping.

11 a.m.—Haiphong leaves for Coast Ports.  
Thomale leaves for Shanghai, &c.  
Ajaz leaves for London.

Amusements.

9 p.m.—Klaer & Olman's Circus and  
Troupe of Performing Animals at  
Bowington.

Miscellaneous.

Issuing of Dividend Warrants of The  
Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMENT.  
A. S. WATSON & CO.,  
LIMITED.  
(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)  
HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old  
branded Brandy, all of which are ex-  
cellent quality and good value for the money.

The same being specially selected by our  
London House, and bought direct from the  
most noted Shippers, are imported in wood  
and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us  
to supply the best goods at moderate  
prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to  
state the name and quantity of Wine or  
Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality  
desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Tele-  
gram receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

A Alto Douro, good quality,  
Green Capsule ..... \$10 \$1.00  
B Vintage, superior quality,  
Red Capsule ..... 12 1.10  
C Fine Old Vintage, superior  
quality, Black Seal Cap-  
sule ..... 14 1.25  
D Very Fine Old Vintage,  
extra superior, Violet Cap-  
sule (Old Bottled) ..... 16 1.50

SHERRIES.

A D.O.M. Pale Dry, dinner  
wine, Green Capsule ..... 6 0.60  
B Superior Pale Dry, dinner  
wine, Green Seal Capsule  
..... 7.50 0.75  
C Manzanilla, Pale Natural  
Sherry, White Capsule ..... 10 1.00  
CC Superior Old Dry, Pale  
Natural Sherry, Red Seal  
Capsule ..... 10 1.00  
D Very Superior Old Dry,  
choice old Wine, White  
Seal Capsule ..... 12 1.10  
E Extra Superior Old Pale  
Dry, very fine quality,  
Black Seal Capsule (Old  
Bottled) ..... 14 1.25

OLARETS.

A Superior Breakfast Claret,  
Red Capsule ..... \$4 \$4.50  
B St. Estephe, Red Capsule ..... 4.50 5.00  
C St. Julien ..... 11 12.00  
D La Rose ..... 11 12.00

BRANDY.

A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red  
Capsule ..... \$12 \$1.10  
B Superior Very Old Cognac,  
Red Capsule ..... 14 1.25  
C Very Old Hennessy Cognac,  
Red Capsule ..... 16 1.50  
D Hennessy's Finest Very Old  
Liqueur Cognac, 1873  
Vintage, Red Capsule ..... 24 2.00

SCOTCH WHISKY.

A Thorne's Blend, White  
Capsule ..... 8 0.75  
B Watson's Glenorchy Mal-  
low Blend, Blue Capsule,  
with Name and Trade  
Mark ..... 8 0.75  
C Watson's Abouloir Glenorchy,  
Red Capsule, with Name  
and Trade Mark ..... 8 0.75  
D Watson's FINEST SCOTCH Malt  
Whiskies, Violet Cap-  
sule ..... 10 1.00  
E Watson's Very Old Liqueur  
Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-  
sule ..... 12 1.10

IRISH WHISKY.

A John Jameson's Old, Green  
Capsule ..... 8 0.75  
B John Jameson's Fine Old,  
Green Capsule ..... 10 1.00  
C John Jameson's Very Fine  
Old, Green Capsule ..... 12 1.10  
GLENVIEW BOTTLED WHISKY,  
Black and Red Capsule,  
with Name ..... 10 1.00

GIN.

A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-  
sule ..... 4.50 0.40  
B Fine Unsweetened, White  
Capsule ..... 4.50 0.40  
C Fine A. V. H. Geneva ..... 5.25 0.50

RUM.

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet  
Capsule ..... 12 1.00  
Good Leonard Island \$1.50 per Gallon.

LIQUEURS.

Benedictine Maraschino  
Curacao Heering's Cherry Cordial  
Chartreuse Dr. Senger's Angostura  
Bitters, &c.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 7.30 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 11, 1890.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED RUBY CANAL.  
OUTWARD BOUND.—Endauca, July 11,  
Sailed for Lorne, 15; Glenelg, 18;  
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A case which has attracted great attention in India has just been concluded. This was the trial of Hurry Mohun Maiti for the murder of his child wife, Falmoy, who died of a fever. The trial was very short, returned a unanim. us verdict of causing grievous hurt by a rash and negligent act, and the prisoner was sentenced to a year's rigorous imprisonment. Although cases of great suffering and death arising out of child marriage have been often brought to the notice of the British Government, in this instance we think, in which the Government has instituted a precaution, having been hitherto deterred by the desire not to interfere with native customs. But, as we said in discussing a Bill that recently passed the Hongkong Legislature, there is a point beyond which the Government should not touch. becomes equivalent to a surrender of all the moral claims on which our role is based. The Indian Government will be led, it is hoped, by the result of the case just decided to abandon the policy of indifference. It has hitherto pursued and will endeavour to put a stop to the practice which should make appropriate *outrage*. Commenting on the case, the *Statesman* of India says:—It does seem strange that while under one section of the Indian Penal Code he is allowed to do as act that endangers life, under another he is punished if the result proves fatal. Distinctly the law is laid down that a man may kill his wife, but the ground or excuse for it is doubtless his unwillingness to interfere with the social customs of the people, while Hindu women have hitherto suffered under of pain and misery because there was none to take up their cause. We are glad to see a larger section of the Native population rising as voters, more particularly in the Bombay and Madras presidencies, against the present enactments in the Indian Penal Code, which really licenses cruelty to young girls. Section 375 distinctly states that a man committing marriage with his wife, the wife not being under sixteen years of age, is guilty of an offence. It is not for his wife, whether she consent or not, he is guilty of that offence. Our Bombay correspondent telegraphs that the agitation for some change in the age of consent section of the Indian Penal Code is increasing in the Western Presidency, the natives protesting that the law is a source of grief in the case of Hurry Mohun Maiti should force the Legislature to protect child wives.

We mentioned some time ago that a Chinaman had been arrested in Penang on a charge of bigamy. The case was called for hearing at the Assize on the 30th July, Mr Justice Wood being on the bench. The charge against the defendant is—that he said Yook Boon Leng did, on or about the 29th day of May 1910, at Penang, having a wife, to wit Kam Saw Keat, still living, marry one Soh Ann, such last mentioned marriage being void by reason of its taking place during the lifetime of such wife, to wit the said K. M. Saw Keat, and that he has thereby committed an offence punishable under section 494 of the Indian Penal Code. Mr Adams, who prosecuted, said that although it was an accepted thing that a Chinaman could take into himself another wife, as a matter of fact he could marry but one wife only and lawful wife. He was about to read an extract from the "Middle Kingdom," but this course was objected to by defendant's counsel, and the Judge sustained the objection. Mr Adams then produced several volumes of Chinese books, and said that he would select passages, who had read for many years, and who was well acquainted with the law and customs of the country, to prove that these books, certain passages in which he had caused to be translated, contained the law of China.

a proposition to make certain alterations in the Articles of Association. Mr Sohst presided and in the course of his speech said:—

When the Company was first started, some seven years ago, it was anticipated with some degree of confidence that an annual dividend of at least ten per cent. would be easily obtained. It is, however, holders' share of the profits and yet leave a substantial amount, after payment of a bonus to our customers, to be placed to the Reserve Fund.

Two years after the Company commenced operations, what is commonly called the "boom" sprang up, and since then competition has become so keen that the rates of premium have now reached such a point, that your Directors think it is possible to continue paying a dividend of 10 per cent. and still placing *the important additions to the Reserve Fund*, which they consider it is essential to make, for the benefit and welfare of the Company. The building of the new office, which is the Reserve Fund, is in the opinion of your Board, a matter of vital importance, not only to the prosperity of the Company and in the interests of the shareholders themselves, but as a guarantee to the customers—that their policies are as secure as those of other competing offices. It may be taken for granted that the directors will be as much alive to the manner in which the profits are distributed, and to the nature and extent of the Company's assets. It is only by adhering to a fixed principle, and that

His Lordship, in sentencing the prisoner, said:—E. H. Solomon.—You, have been convicted upon three charges of dishonestly and fraudulently using a forged document purporting to be a valuable security, knowing it to be forged, or having reason to believe it to be so; and you have also been convicted, in respect of both these documents, of being in possession for the purpose of using them with the same guilty knowledge; and you have further been convicted of having transactions in connection with these documents. These are grave offences, and I am bound to pass a severe sentence on you. You have also been convicted as a warning to others. Upon the first charge I sentence you to eight years' rigorous imprisonment, and I do not think it necessary to pass any separate sentence on the other charges.

Mr. Pugh said he would let the Court know to-day what he intended doing in regard to the second and third charges.

The Court-room was crowded with spectators, the members of the Jewish community being very largely represented.

Solomon broke down on hearing the verdict, and was weeping during the time sentence was being pronounced on him.

Calcutta, 17th July.—The Bank of England has just received a cable message from H. Solomon. Mr. Pugh stated to Court that, having regard to the sentence passed upon the prisoner for his fraud in connection with the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

carry on a conversation in an ordinary tone of voice, as

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